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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of Abbas Lamouri

Serial No. : 09/973,916

Art Unit: 2879

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Examiner: Kenneth Ramsey

Title: METHOD OF MAKING AN ELECTRIC LAMP HAVING A GAS
FILLED OUTER JACKET

#9 Response

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RESPONSE

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 12, 2003, applicant submits the
following:

REMARKS

Applicant notes the allowance of Claims 1-16 and 21, and the indicated
allowability of Claims 18, 19, and 28. Applicant further notes that Claims 17, 20, and
23-27, while subject to an obviousness-type double patenting rejection, are patentably
distinct from the prior art.

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